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PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL FORM (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)**DOCKET NO.  
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This is a **request for continued examination** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (RCE) of pending application Serial No. **09/857,113**, filed on **May 31, 2001**, entitled **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DETERMINING A FUTURE TRAVEL-PATH AREA OF A VEHICLE**.

The following constitute the submission **required** by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a) and is attached:

- ☒ Please enter the enclosed Amendment After Final Office Action mailed on December 29, 2003 responsive to October 27, 2003 Final Office Action.
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Drawing Changes
- ☐ Other Submission

1. The filing fee for this RCE and the required amendment/submission is calculated below. The fee below is calculated based on the status of the claims after the entry of the attached amendment/submission. The fee for any new additional claims is included with this RCE, the fee for previously entered additional claims having already been paid.

|  | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT | MINUS | HIGHEST<br>NUMBER<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>NUMBER<br>EXTRA                    | RATE (\$)<br>PER<br>CLAIM | FEE (\$)              |
|--|---|-------|---|---|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| BASIC FEE  |   |       |   |   |                           | 770.00                |
| TOTAL<br>CLAIMS  | 16  |       | 20  | 0   | 18.00                     | 0.00                  |
| INDEPENDENT<br>CLAIMS  | 2   |       | 3   | 0   | 86.00                     | 0.00                  |
| MULTIPLE<br>DEPENDENT<br>CLAIM   |   |       |   |   | 290.00                    | 0.00                  |
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| If Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here. |   |       |   |   |                           | SMALL ENTITY<br>TOTAL |

2. Please charge the required RCE filing fee of \$770.00 to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
3. No extension fee is believed to be due since this RCE is being submitted within the two-month period for filing the Appeal Brief pursuant to the Notice of Appeal filed on April 26, 2004. However, should any fees be required in connection with this communication, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any required fees to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
4. A duplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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